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I, Nan Wishner, attest that my statements are true to the best of my knowledge.

Comments for ET Docket No. 03-137.

1. My name is Nan Wishner. My address is 504 San Carlos Ave., Albany CA 94706.

2. I am a technical writer and editor and one of the founders of Albany Residents for

Responsible Oversight of Wireless (ARROW).

3. I urge the FCC to alter its standards for radio frequency (RF) radiation exposure so that

the standards are not just based on the risk of tissue heating from exposure but are also

based on understanding of biological mechanisms by which RF radiation can alter and

damage cells that have been identified in research done since the current standards were

adopted. Furthermore, the standards should explicitly take into account differences in the

size and vulnerability of different human receptors. For example, children's skulls are

smaller and their tissues and organs are developing at a rapid rate compared to those of

adults; therefore, RF exposure safety standards for children should be far more restrictive

those for mature adults. Similarly, exposure standards for women should not be based on

the model of large adult males. A thorough scientific review of the current, independent

scientific literature is critical as a basis for establishing up-to-date standards that will

better protect the public from harm. Studies done or funded by wireless device

manufacturers should not be relied upon in developing the new standards.

Respectfully submitted by

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